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Dear Sir.

This is in response to the Office Action dated May 18, 2005. Please amend the above application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity) Docket No. Tatsuro NAGAHARA et al. FN4104US-CIP Application No. Filing Date Examiner Customer No. Group Art Unit | Confirmation No. 10/728,801 December 8, 2003 LEE, Sin J. 26289 1752 8923 PHOTOSENSITIVE POLYSILAZANE COMPOSITION AND METHOD OF FORMING PATTERNED Invention: POLYSILAZANE FILM **COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:** Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED CLAIMS REMAINING** HIGHEST# NUMBER EXTRA ADDITIONAL RATE AFTER AMENDMENT PREV. PAID FOR CLAIMS PRESENT FEE TOTAL CLAIMS 14 20 \$50.00 \$0.00 INDEP, CLAIMS 3 ١ 5 \$200.00 \$1,000.00 Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) \$0.00 TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT \$1,000.00 ☐ No additional fee is required for amendment. Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-3309 in the amount of \$1,000.00 A check in the amount of to cover the filing fee is enclosed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-3309 Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16. Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. Dated: 7/13/01 Alan P. Kass Reg. No. 32142 70 Meister Avenue I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first Somerville, New Jersey 08876 class mall in an envelope addressed to "Commissioner for Patents, Telephone: (908) 595-3890 P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on Customer No. 26,289 (Date) Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence CC: Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence